

February 2016 Labor Report
March 18, 2016



Labor Force Data
Statewide and MSAs

	<u>February 2016</u>	<u>January 2016</u>	<u>February 2015</u>
Kansas - Seasonally Adjusted			
Civilian Labor Force	1,513,370	1,511,163	1,494,215
Employment	1,452,714	1,450,422	1,430,505
Unemployment	60,656	60,741	63,710
Unemployment Rate	4.0	4.0	4.3
Kansas - Not Seasonally Adjusted			
Civilian Labor Force	1,505,679	1,503,141	1,490,508
Employment	1,441,536	1,437,288	1,422,316
Unemployment	64,143	65,853	68,192
Unemployment Rate	4.3	4.4	4.6
Lawrence MSA (Douglas County)			
Civilian Labor Force	66,567	64,143	65,941
Employment	64,183	61,739	63,371
Unemployment	2,384	2,404	2,570
Unemployment Rate	3.6	3.7	3.9
Topeka MSA (Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and Wabaunsee Counties)			
Civilian Labor Force	120,536	121,248	120,422
Employment	115,069	115,574	114,467
Unemployment	5,467	5,674	5,955
Unemployment Rate	4.5	4.7	4.9
Wichita MSA (Butler, Harvey, Kingman, Sedgwick and Sumner Counties)			
Civilian Labor Force	315,528	316,350	311,649
Employment	300,850	301,113	296,013
Unemployment	14,678	15,237	15,636
Unemployment Rate	4.7	4.8	5.0
Kansas City Area (Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn, Miami and Wyandotte Counties)			
Civilian Labor Force	459,771	462,819	452,602
Employment	441,363	443,845	431,936
Unemployment	18,408	18,974	20,666
Unemployment Rate	4.0	4.1	4.6
Manhattan MSA (Pottawatomie and Riley Counties)			
Civilian Labor Force	52,352	48,692	50,217
Employment	50,656	47,013	48,396
Unemployment	1,696	1,679	1,821
Unemployment Rate	3.2	3.4	3.6

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services, in conjunction with the Bureau of Labor Statistics.
 Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) Program.